

a. Client Originates Email (Email "A") on Client's Remote Personal Computer (P.C.)
b. Client Sends "Email A" to Intended Recipient
c. Client Either Copies "Email A" to Processing Unit or Sends/Forwards Processing Unit "Email A" Independently
d. Processing Unit Sends "Email A" to Intended Recipient As Identified by Client
e. Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email A" was Sent to Intended Recipient
f. Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email A" was Sent in the Form of a Digital Certificate.
g. Processing Unit Sends Confirmation to Client Via the Digital Certificate in an Email (Email "B")
h. Processing Unit Archives "Email A" and "Email B" in Digital Format for Future Retrieval if Necessary

Fig 1. Request for Electronic Mail Time/Date Verification

a. Client Originates Email (Email "A") on Client's Remote Personal Computer (P.C.)
b. Client Sends "Email A" to Processing Unit with Request that Processing Unit send Email A Anonymously to Intended Recipient as Identified by Client
c. Processing Unit Copies Content and or Attachments of "Email A" to a New Email (Email "B")
d. Processing Unit Sends "Email B" to Intended Recipient
e. Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email B" was Sent to Intended Recipient
f. Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email B" was Sent in the Form of a Digital Certificate
g. Processing Unit Sends Confirmation to Client Via the Digital Certificate in an Email (Email "C")
h. Processing Unit Archives "Email A" and "Email B" and "Email C" in Digital Format for Future Retrieval if Necessary

Fig.2 Request to Send Electronic Mail Anonymously and Time/Date Verification

a. Client Originates Email (Email "A") on Client's Remote Personal Computer (P.C.)
b. Client Sends "Email A" to Processing Unit with Instructions that Processing Unit Hold "Email A" Pending Verification of the Intended Recipient as Identified by Client
c. Client Simultaneously Selects One of Various Verification Options to Establish Identity (i.e. Including, but not limited to, Biometric or Personal Identity Papers)
d. Processing Unit Notifies Intended Recipient Via Email (Email "B") that Processing Unit is Holding "Email A" and Requests Verification of Identity per Client's Criteria
e. Intended Recipient Satisfies Verification of Identity Via Email (Email "C") or by Personally Satisfying Selected Criteria
f. Processing Unit Sends "Email A" to Intended Recipient
g. Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email A" was Sent to Intended Recipient
h Processing Unit Records the Time and Date "Email A" was Sent in the Form of a Digital Certificate
i. Processing Unit Sends Confirmation to Client Via the Digital Certificate in an Email (Email "D")
j. Processing Unit Archives "Email A" and "Email B" and "Email C" and "Email D" in Digital Format for Future Retrieval if Necessary

Fig. 3 Request for Verification of Identity and Electronic Mail Time/Date Verification